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ENERGY SECURITY THROUGH BIO MASS
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Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to formulate a national programme for providing `Energy security to all villages through Bio mass`;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the programmes is likely to come into effect?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR)

(a), (b) & (c): An Outline Plan has been prepared by the Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources for creating energy security in villages using locally available biomass resources with participation of the local community and potential for employment generation and environment friendly sustainable development. To begin with, it has been decided to implement test projects on village energy security with a view to demonstrate the techno-economic parameters, test the implementation strategy and firm up the institutional arrangements. Proposals are being firmed up by the potential States for implementation of the test projects during next financial year.